Dear Head of Music,

The Saint Kentigern College Music Department and our Gifted Education Advocate cordially invite you, and seven music loving students of your choice, to attend a series of lectures by music industry professionals. The purpose of the evening is to enrich passionate music students by providing them with a chance to hear professional composers, performers and industry people share what they do and what influences them.

The lectures take place on three consecutive Tuesday evenings in May – the 10th, 17th and 24th from 7pm until about 9pm once the discussion opportunity concludes. The event will be held in the College’s Music Centre Atrium with a brief supper at the conclusion of the first of two presenters. Each week has a specific focus following the key areas of interest: composition, performance and the Music Industry. .

The lecture series will feature:

* Night One: *Composition* will feature New Zealand composer Gareth Farr and songwriter, Annah Mac.
* Night Two: *Performance* will feature the bassist and guitarist from the successful rock band ‘Motocade’ and Italian Concert Pianist, Matteo Napoli.
* Night Three: *Music Industry* will see two representatives from MAINZ, the Music and Audio Institute of New Zealand, speak on the different aspects involved in live music production, recording music and other facets of the music industry.

This experience will cost $250. This inclusive price covers the three dates, with access for seven students and a staff member. We believe these evenings offer students a real world experience and provide greater insight into the life of professionals in the music industry.

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